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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 6653

BILL NUMBER: SB 284

NOTE PREPARED: Dec 12, 2002

BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Jury Selection in Death Penalty Cases.

FIRST AUTHOR: Sen. Rogers

FIRST SPONSOR:

BILL STATUS: As Introduced

FUNDS AFFECTED: **GENERAL
DEDICATED
FEDERAL**

IMPACT: No Fiscal Impact

Summary of Legislation: This bill removes as a good cause to challenge a person called as a juror in a criminal trial in which the state is seeking a death sentence the fact that the person entertains conscientious opinions that would preclude the person from recommending the imposition of the death penalty.

Effective Date: July 1, 2003.

Explanation of State Expenditures:

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected:

Local Agencies Affected:

Information Sources:

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